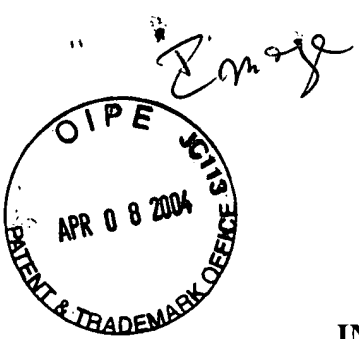


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated March 23, 2004,
relating to above patent application, please consider the following reformatted amendments
and the accompanying remarks.

Please amend the claims as follows: